

5 Recipes for Shortcrust Pastry

Each recipe makes enough to line a 27cm flan dish, double quantity to line 3 flan dishes

Shortcrust Pastry

225g plain flour 55g butter 55g lard Water to bind

Rich Shortcrust

225g plain flour 110g butter 2 egg yolks + a little water

Wholemeal Shortcrust Pastry

110g Wholemeal flour 110g plain flour 110g butter 1 egg + a little water if necessary

Sweet Pie Pastry

225g self raising flour 110g butter 30g caster sugar 1 egg

Sweet Shortcrust Pastry

225g plain flour 110g butter 30g caster sugar 2 egg yolks + a little water if necessary

- 1. For each pastry, rub the fat into the flour, add sugar if using and mix.
- 2. Stir in the egg or water to bind.
- 3. Squash together gently, form into a flat disk and refrigerate for 20mins before using.